

Notice of Conferences

The **Sixth Maritime Heritage Conference** will be held October 25-28, 2001, in Wilmington, North Carolina. The conference also incorporates the Fourth International Ship Preservation Conference. Proposals for individual papers or for an entire session are due by May 1, 2001, and should be sent to Dr. Timothy J. Runyan, Maritime Heritage Conference, Maritime Studies Program, Eller House, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC 27858-4353; telephone 252-328-6097; Fax 252-328-6754; email underwoodk@mail.ecu.edu. Groups wishing to conduct business meetings may reserve facilities by contacting Captain David R. Scheu, Battleship North Carolina, Eagles Island, P.O. Box 480, Wilmington, NC 28402-0480; telephone 910-251-5797; Fax 910-251-5807; email ncbb55@aol.com.

The conference, **Places of Cultural Memory: African Reflections on the American Landscape**, will be held May 9-12, 2001, in Atlanta Georgia. While scholars and communities have studied and preserved many of the physical manifestations of African culture, many more potential historic properties await study and recognition. The conference will convene interdisciplinary panels of experts whose presentations will assist in the fuller identification, evaluation, documentation, preservation, and interpretation of buildings, sites, districts, structures, and objects. For information about this conference, contact Brian D. Joyner, National Park Service, 1849 C Street, NW, 350NC, Washington, DC 20240; telephone 202-343-1000; email brian_joyner@nps.gov.